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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Steven J. Savage et al.

Appln. No.: 10/663,717

Filed: September 17, 2003

For: FILTER SYSTEM FOR A DEEP FAT  
FRYER

Attorney Docket No: 12361-224

Examiner: Timothy F. Simone

Art Unit: 1761

Commissioner for Patents

P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

## Attached is/are:

- A Response After Final In Accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 and Interview Summary with 2-sheets of Replacement drawings (replacement drawings 3-4) and 2-sheets of annotated drawings (annotated drawings 3-4);  
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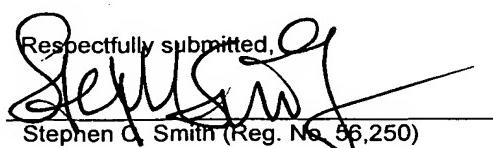
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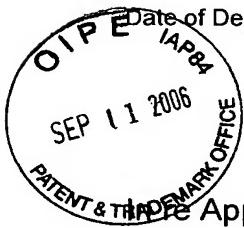
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Respectfully submitted,  
  
Stephen C. Smith (Reg. No. 56,250)

September 11, 2006

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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 AND  
INTERVIEW SUMMARY**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed on July 12, 2006, Applicants have timely filed this response. The Examiner is respectfully requested to withdraw the rejections to the claims of this application and to grant allowance of this Application in view of the following remarks.